SATURDAY, NOV. 6, 1897.

WEST-END NOTES.

MUCH RAIN--NO DAM-

Inactive Sunday Christians.

ers are not doing a very healthy business, but the where-with-all must come very shortly or there will be much suffering caused by an empty coal house.

The first on the programme was a declamation by master Ebbie Small which was good, then an extra well delivered oration by Master David Wilson, subject; "The Value of Attention."

ndsy of last week was one of those rainy, cold. chilly days and many families were kept at home from both Sunday-school and church. At the Fifth

tist Church was very small, but Rev. Lewis as usual led the way with a

The Sunday Schools were nearly all deserted, the attendance being very small; but those who did attend were highly benefitted. There is one pecuhighly benefitted. There is one peculiar thing about us Baptists, we dislike so very much to get wet. We parents cannot go out on Sundays to get wet because we will take cold and our children are trained in the same; but rain or shine, blow or calm, snow drifts or haif storms, every mother's child must hustle on Monday and every day during the week this body must be provided for while the soul goes hungry, haked and suffers for the living food and the grace of God.

The Autumn Leaf Social, which was given at the returned on last Sunday evening, much to the delight of her many friends.

The Autumn Leaf Social, which was given at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A., on last Monday evening, was a grand success finaccially and socially. The Same was under the auspices of the Girls' Library Club, an auxiliary of the Bazaar a success.

The admission is food and the grace of God. BRIEFS MENTIONED

Saturday 23d ult, while Mr. George Brown and family were away their beautiful residence took fire from a defective flue and was entirely destroyed with all its contents. A white with all its contents. A white paighbor who lives near-by would who were absent missed a rare treat and we feel safe to say that he will be remembered when he is gone. and we feel safe to say that he will be who were absent missed a rare treat Chanceller Commander W. A. Kyles, who has served two successive terms the gentleman could not get sufficient water. The loss falls very heavy on Mr. Brown as there was no insurance.

Sid street was one of rare note. Those have not been been absent missed a rare treat Chanceller Commander W. A. Kyles, who has served two successive terms tendered his resignation, owing to a pressure of business which was reluctions of the companion of the the city on the Broad street road. The loss is estimated at nearly one thousand dollars.

Was elected to fin the diexpired term. Wish a nice, clean hair cut. He is were poured forth in eloquent language in honor of the good qualities of Ma, H. Fisher is

And as her spirit passed away. She whispered Christ is all."

and will spend some time visiting friends and relatives. sacon Albert Jones of William St.,

who has been to Boston on business for several months has returned home. Mr. Cipio Crittenden of William street, who has been sick for about Eureka Court. All of the members are requested to be present at the next meeting as much business of imporour months, is now much improved and out for the first time in several months. He is one of the old time christian gentlemen, respected and beloved by all.

FROM WILMINGTON, N. C.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 1, '97.

is a credit to our race.

Bennett, pastor St. Marks Episcopalian church, was enjoyed much by all who took part. Speeches were by Revs. Huffman, Bonner and Graggs, after which Mr. Bennett responded.

We are sorry to note Rev. P. L. Cuyler is suffering with a bad cold. Dr. Cuyler has been quite busy the past three weeks working up his rally, building a new tower and arranging for general conference.

The down-fall of this once powerful organization will unquestionably shake the confidence of our people second alone to the collapse of the Freedmen's Savings Bank. The calamity can only be averted by the coming to the front of patriotic, race-loving leaders, who will put aside petty jealousies and start the organization in the direction of the rising instead of the setting sun.

As for Rev. Browne and his paid supporters, we care but little. The peoporters, we care but little. The peoporters, we care but little. The peoporters we can be supported by the consulted the friends to the Flank!

Friends to the Flank! The PLANET can be had at Mr.

ple's interests are first to be consulted. They may open the vials of their wrath and uncap the vessels of their slanders until the air is asseous with the vapors and the night hideous with their howls of woe. We shall fearlessly do our duty as God has given us light to see it, and we hurl defiance at

By desperate appliances are relieved, Or not at all."

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.

PETERSBURG SPECIAL.

M. C. A. Coming to the Front-Daniel J. Cox Died Enroute Home-Rev. J. B. Terrell's Good Work-

PRIERBBURG, VA., Nov. 2, '97. Last Sunday was a bright and beau-tiful day and in evidence of the same all of the churches were well attendall of the churches were well attended. All of the regular pastors were at their posts as usual, feeding their flocks with food from the living gospel. Rev. E. Jackson, pastor of Zion Baptist Church, preached a special sermon, on last Sunday 11 o'clock to the students of the Virginia Normal and tollegiate Institute. The same was highly appreciated and nothing but words of praise can be heard on every side.

RICHMOND, VA., Oct. 25th 1897.

MR. EDITOR:

Please allow me space in your valuable paper to return thanks to the Richmond Beneficial & Insurance Co. of which the popular Rev. W. F. Graham, is president for the promptness in paying the sick benefit for my father's illness.

For 12 weeks they paid me \$3.25 weekly and at the end of that period they paid me \$2.6 5 the equivalent of the death benefit which was done in accord with the compact entered into between myself and the company.

We are also pleased to state that the collector Mr. F. E. Brown, was polite, and the company and political and the company.

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The missionaries Rev. and Mrs. Van

Blunck held a very impressive service on last sunday morning, with Rev. T M Bowman, at his church on High St. LOCALS.

Dr. Humphreys' Veterinary Manual on the treatment Horses, Cattle, Sheep Hogs, Dogs and Poultry, mailed free upon request. *Address,* the Hum-phreys, Company, New York. mr. K. Jefferson Kyles came over last Sunday and spent the day with his friend, W. Bolivar Davis.

Mr. W. Alexander Crowder came up from Norfolk, to be a witness in a suit of his father against R. S. Chandler of the police force, for assaulting him on the night of June 27th, 1897. The case was lost and he returned on last Monwas lost and he returned on last Mon

music and refreshments much interested in reading that they are working faithfully so raise money Good music and refreshments

Brown as there was no insurance. antly received. Dr. S. H. Dismond artist of no small decree, and when you was elected to fill the unexpired term.

Old Dominion Lodge held quite an interesting meeting. Thursday night, the is dead. Some time ago he was the 28th ult. The attendance was taken sick with an attack of pneumon taken sick with an att he is dead. Some time ago he was This makes the company safe in it taken sick with an attack of pneumon-promises to invest its funds in proper large and much business of interest is, after lingering awhile he thought the best would be to come home. So The Sir Knights of Myrtle Lodge are left New York City for Petersburg bank as a protection for its policy holders. where love is Lord and Master. Miss Ward's funeral took place from the Ebenezer Baptist Church on Monday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. Richard Wells officiating. It was largely attended by a number of friends and relatives.

making strenuous efforts to increase its membership. The material in this lodge is among the foremost in the city and the lodge will be sure to prosper tended by a number of friends and perfect of Planet Company. 8, is Chancellor Commander.

The company in the short space of away. The body was carried to the morgue in Philadelphia and placed in cold storage, until Mr. J. M. Wilkerson arrived there on last Sunday morning. The remains were brought here on last Monday night, and on Tuesday, all last Monday night is membership. The material in this great, for while the train was nearing great, for while the train was nearing properties.

The remains were brought here on last Monday night, and on Tuesday, all that was mortal was laid to rest. The funeral took place from the Gilfield aptist Church, Rev. Henry Williams officiating At the time of his death he was a member of the Banquet Beneficial Association of New York City; composed largely of southern men, and was in the employ of Mr. J. S. Thomas the undertaker May he rest in peace.

Mrs. Sallie, of Mr James Deane, form and was in the employ of Mr. J. S. Thomas the undertaker May he rest in peace.

Mrs. Sallie, of Mr James Deane, form erly of this city, but who has been for the past thrae months living in Hampton. died there last Monday and was brought here and buried Wednesday. From Harrison Street Church Rev. Watts efficiating. J. M. Wilkerson Watts efficiating. J. M. Wilkerson the rest Monday and was brought here and buried Wednesday. Watts efficiating. J. M. Wilkerson was a first-class order. They have about 3,000 members.

funeral director. Mrs. Lucy Ann Jackson died at her residence, Church Street, Blauford, Monday evening and was buried from

ing. November 12th at 4 o'clock at Richmand Hall. Members are re-quested to attend early as those who were left over from the last initiation mrs Mary Cousins and Mrs. Marga-ret Bagley of New York folty and Mr. Lew's toode, of Richmond, were in the city to attend the triple funeral ser-vice last Sunday, of Mr. L. P. Thomas, William H. Goode and Henry Goode. The same took place from Harrison Street thurch last Sunday 1 p. m. Rev E. Watts officiating. Thomas H.

FROM HARTFORD. Mr. Shield's Trip. - A School Progressin

months ago. when Rev. Ferrell took charge In six months he has done a work that has not been precedented in a long time. You could have gone there before he same and would have thought the church an old forsaken house, but go there now. you will find a carpeted floor, new windows. a circular gallery, an arc electric light, a good choir, a good people and many friends to the Planker Rev. J. B. Ferrell has also paid \$86.00 on church with the charge of the country of the country of the country of the charge of the country of the charge of the country of the charge of the c Harrord Fonn, Nov. 2, 1897.
Mr. William H. Shields has just returned home from his trip in the South feeling benefitted by the change. He had the pleasure of visiting his mother in Essex County, Virginia, whom he has not seen before for seven years; and he also paid a short but very pleasant visit to his uncle. Mr. Richard Shields of Caroline County, Va

other counties of Virginia and the cities of New York Philadelphia, Baltimore and other places in which he was greatly interested in the occupations of the colored people and their progress in the different lines of industry in the Y M.O.A. next Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock to hear the report of the

in the different lines of industry in which they are engaged.

Mr. Shi lds says that in the different places that he visited, the colored people are making good headway in carrying on business by themselves, with the exception of the city of Baltimore where he thought the colored people seemed to be losing ground rather than gaining ground but this seemed to be due to discouragement over the failure of their Bank and of the Northwestern Joint Company, both The regular Song Services of Trinity Church were omitted in order to make all who would drive us from the rock way for the union of the four churches which takes place on the 5th Sunday, likewise the services of the other three likewise the services of the other three likewise which is held during the "Diseases, desperate grown,"

Allow me space to congratulate Mr H. B. Hucles, treasurer and manager seemed to be due to discouragement of the Virginia, Normal and Collegiate Institute and also for his capacity to manage the undertaking in Petersburg, but I would like to give him a but he also thinks in due time they burg, but I would like to give him a but he also thinks in due time they burg, but I would like to give him a but he also thinks in due time they burg, but I would like to give him a but he also thinks in due time they burg, but I would like to give him a but he also thinks in due time they burg, but I would like to give him a but he also thinks in due time they burg, but I would like to give him a but he also thinks in due time they burg, but I would like to give him a but he also thinks in due time they burg, but I would like to give him a but he also thinks in due time they burg, but I would like to give him a but he also thinks in due time they burg, but I would like to give him a burg, but I would like to give him a burg, burg burg, but I would like to give him a piece of advice, and say to him, that its not only poor management but it is a big mistake for a man holding a public trust to go beyond his bounds, when a simple reguest is made of him by an employee The case stands like this, a certain employee of that institutiou came to my place, made arrangements with me to bury his wife.

but he also thinks in due time they will put saide their discouragements and push ahead with the rest of their colored brothers of other cities.

Mr Shields had the pleasure of meet ing one of the young colored physicians in Baltimore who seems to have no trouble in holding his own Mr. Shields also met Mr. McCall of the same city who states that he has started a large

who states that he has started a large who states that he has started a large wholesale and retail oyster business with Mr. George Bowen on Clendennin Street between Madison Avenue and McCulloch Street, where he does a big business. being patronized by a large number of the best white and colored people in the city. Every closed year. ply to pay a certain amount of his salary each month, as a guarantee to me when he deliberately informs the employer that such a request would be granted providing the undertaker be changed, claiming that he did not know me. I would like to know do Mr. H. B. Hucles know everybody with whom he does business, or those with whom his employees do business.

We should never grow so great and forget that we at one time or another, have had to struggle against odds and feel, after we shall have gone through that we are greater than he, who are some of the oysters would weigh from one to three ounces and anyone who is fond of oysters would be "in dover" at Mr. McCalls establishment at very

reasonable prices.

Among the many pleasant recollections of his tip none stands more pleasantly or brightly in his memories than while he was the guest of Mr and Mrs. Watts who gave a very enjoyable afternoon tea in his honor, at which he met a number of his old friends with whom he was acquainted friends with whom he was acquainted when he made his home in Baltimore

when he made his home in Baltimore several years ago.

Mr. Shields also met Mr L L Davis of Essex County. Virginia, who is greatly interested personally in the work of elevating the colored race of that county. He has recently built a high grade school for the education of the colored people which will save them from going to a distance to procure an education

Mr. Davis who is also an instructor.

I desire to know the whereabouts of my relatives. It has been thirteen years since I visited my home in Richmond County. I have a sister whose name is Mrs. Harriet Davis, nee Jackson, daughter of Mary Jackson; also a sister in Norfolk, Va., whose name was Julia Ann Jackson.

We were of the estate of Richard Lyle, squire of kichmond Co.

My name is Louisa Mitchell and my father's name Horace Mitchell.

My address is Thurlow, Delaware County, Pa. Any information will be thankfully received.

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Mr. Shields has recently started a Barber shop in company with his brother on Pearl Street near the corner of Ford Street where they would be pleased to have all their friends call and find out for themselves that there is the place where they will receive the best haircut, shave or shampon in the support of the colored people of the county and of all others interested senough to see their sons and daughters receive a first-class education.

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poo in the city.

Mr. Graham of New York City, formerly of Richmond, is now employed at Shields Brothers new barber shop, where he is completing his apprentice-ship at the barbers' trade under Mr. William Pierce, and along with his shop polishing, trada where he would be polishing trada where he would be polishing trade where he would be pleased to have his friends call and

CHAMPLAIN COLORED HIGH SCHOOL. A school commenced by Prof. L. L.
Davis at his home, Essex, Virginia,
October 18th, 1897, for the training of
that at 1 o'clock this morning Senator Richmond Beneficial and Insurance Company of which Rev. W. F. Graham, is President, and Mr. John T. Taylor, General Manager and Secretary, is the strongest and most reliable organizations of its kind among our p-ople in the world. This may sound very strong but we are in position to know the thining of the clome who wish to persue a higher course of study after leaving the public schools. Prof Davis achool at Champlain, Va. his home, since his graduation in 1888 of the Hampton Institute; and seeing the strong, but we are in position to know; we have access to the books and all the business operations of this Company, and we know that no other company can be compared with it. a room to the present graded school of which he was Principal, for the purpose of establishing such a school. After much consultation the Board granted his request and expressed themselves friendly toward the movement, and promised to use their influence for the

one employed by the School Board and one employed by himself The one employed by the Board is Miss Lucy C. Wyatt, who was once a teacher and matron in the Gloucester High School of which Prof. W. B. Weaver is Principal is an experienced teacher and matron in the Gloucester High School of which Prof. W. B. Weaver is Principal is an experienced teacher. pal, is an experienced teacher, also of Hampton Miss L. H. S——, who is employed by Prof. Davis is also an ex-

cellent teacher.

He is doing all he can now to raise means by which to pay for the building which has been built entirely by himself. Scholarships of \$25 are solicited. JOHN O, TAYLOR, Agent, Hartford, Conn.

improve he will resume his studies at the Hampton School, where he was betore going to Richmond.

of meetings for the next two or three weeks.

The North Carolina Colored Fair

at 7:30 o'clock to hear the report of the programme committee and to make all necessary arrangements for this grand event by order of the Executive EQUITY COURT OF RICHMOND DAY OF NOVE AND D

Yesterday was a dull day, it being election day. Strangers here would suppose that an election was in progress. Owing to the Republicans being divided the Democrats got their man in by a small majority. For the House of Delegates, Powell (democrat) received 64 votes in the city; Stewart (republican) 154; P. C. Corrigan, 105. The grand total for yesterday election was the smallest number of votes cast the incorporation of Newports and the smallest number of votes cast since the incorporation of Newport News as a city. Most of the voters did not stop work until late in the after-noon. At the Second Ward Corrigan's wote would have been much larger, but we are sorry to say the judges got mix ed up about the sun and closed the poll minutes before sun set.
ROBERT RODGERS.

A Contest Which Only the Official Count Can Decide.

BOTH SIDES EQUALLY CONFIDENT

jority, and This, If True, Will Result in His Re-Election to the Senate
Columbus, O., Nov. 3.—The result in
Ohio is so close that it may require the
official count to determine the result official count to determine the result, especially on the political complexion of the legislature. The Republicans and the Democrats are both claiming the state and the legislature with such per-sistence that it will require the officia to concede defeat. Incomplete return indicate the election of the Republican result on the legislature is so close that no definite figures can be given out now. The Democrats claim confidently a majority in both branches of the leg slature, but give no figures on th sentatives and 17 senators sure or 71 votes on joint ballot, 73 being necessary the 12 representatives whose countles have not been definitely heard from and all of which are in the doubtful list. Out of the five state senators yet to Out of the five state senators yet to hear from the Republicans claim three, so that the result on the legislature cannot be determined until all the doubtful counties and districts are doubtful counties and districts are heard from. Both sides are watching the count very carefully, especially on the legislative candidates that are in

The change from the result of last year shows that the Democrats have gained in all of the cities largely ex-cept in Cleveland. The gains in Cincinnati and Columbus were very large. The Republicans gained in the rural districts, but most of the changes were due to the stay at home vote in the rural districts, which was fully 15 per

lature on joint ballot. Of the result he for the Republican party. I have confidently predicted from the outset that the people of Ohio would by their votes stamp their approval of the national administration."

At Zion Baptist Unarch Dr. J M. Armistead, the pastor, filled the pulpit all day. In the morning at eleven o'clock the regular service was held. At 12 o'clock the funeral of Mr. James Elliott, who lived on Godwin street.

Mr. GEORGE WASHINGTON, Chestnut

Piedmont Tobacco Fair.

WINSTON, N. C., Nov. 1, 1897. Our city has the appearance of one huge mountain of flowers. Most of our principal business blocks have been decorated with stars and stripes been decorated with stars and stripes in red, white and blue, preparatory to the Piedmont Tobacco Fair of North Carolina and Virginia which opens in this city Tuesday, November 2nd and continued to the 5th in addition to the The bracing atmosphere and bright sunshine made it a pleasant Sabbath and consequently the congregations that tractions already in the city and others arriving on every train, such as Dog, were larger than usual.

At the First Baptist Church Rev. W. H. Dixon at 11 o'clock occupied his pulpit and preach an able sermon from pulpit and preach an able sermon from

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Rev. J. H. Garner, pastor of Saint Paul A.M. E. Church, preached to a very large congregation at night.

Rev. J. Orudup occupied his pupit Sunday night and filled his hearers with the bread of life.

The meeting at the Young Men's Christian Association last Sunday was led by Rev. T. H. D. Lee.

All are requested to be on time this Sunday as Mr. W. A. Hunton will address the wreak of the sunken ship proved of the James. Last Saturday efforts to raise the wreak of the sunken ship proved from the spot upon which she settled more than a year ago. The river shores was crowded all day to see if she would from the spot upon which chested more than a year ago. The river shores was crowded all day to see if she would from the spot upon which she settled more than a year ago. The river shores a macrestimating the dead-weight of the ship and not putting enough air boos to furnish the required lifting power. While the contractors is a been put to a great deal of expense they are still determined not to abandon the she week's 'visit at Matthews County where he has been delivering a series of lectures and exhibiting hip and not putting enough air boos to furnish the required lifting power. While the contractors has been put to a great deal of expense they are still determined not to abandon the she week's 'visit at Matthews County where he has been delivering a series of lectures and exhibiting hip provance of the ship and not putting enough air boos to furnish the required lifting power. While the contractors has been put to a great deal of expense they are still determined not to abandon the still determined the contractory and the still determined the

where he has been delivering a series of lectures and exhibiting his panorama and Bible scenery. He will preach at the Second Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock by request from the subject, "God's Way the Right Way."

Miss Hattie Brown and Mrs. J. Lory, of Boston, Mass., are visiting Mrs. 1.

F. Wilson on Ivy Ave. Cemetery with honors of the fraternity That Has Found a Barrel of Gold.

Rev. A. Strowa, pastor of Mt. Olive, A. M. E. Ohurch, preached an elequent and soul stirring sermon last Sunday evening. He is a good man and is much loved by his excellent choir and congregation.

Mr. W. H. Bailey, manager of the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the famour of the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the famour of the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the famour of the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the famour of the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the famour of the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the famour of the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the famour of the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the famour of the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the famour of the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the famour of the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the hair prov. stops it from breaking off and falling out. It removes the famour of the country sign of the mean of the country sign of the provided its state will do well to give the programme be carried out the smembership of kichmond? We an step the church has been a little slack; Shower the thousen do what he has been levided some the thousen do whether the home people have in the intention of the control of the country. This shows the from here the home people have in the membership of kichmond? We an and says on the remove the home people have in the membership of the chorch has been a little slack; Shower the thousen do whether the home people have in the member the population. The shows the home people have the stream

the Widow's Son Masonic Order. Rev. Dr. H. H. Mitchell, paster of Bank St. Church, Nurfolk, Va, will deliver an oration suitable for the occasion.

Mr. Katter Brinkley of Bowers Hill. Wa, was in our city to-day

Mr. W. E. Moore has returned home again much improved He has been attending the Medical College at Richmond, for a considerable time on account of his eves. If he continues to improve he will resume his studies at of meetings for the next two or three

opens to-morrow the 2nd in the sity of Raleigh. Mr. S. H. Hargrave of this city has been appointed assistant Mar-shal and expects to leave to morrow morning on the 6:30 train at his

LEGAL NOTICE

Lizzie G Boyd, who sues by her next friend, Alexander Gaines......Plaintiff,

IN CHANCERY.

And affidavit having been made and filed that the defendent is a non-resid-ent of the State of Virginia, he is required to appear here within fifteen days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect his in-

A copy—Teste:
P. P. WINSTON, Clerk.
George W. Lewis, p q.

To Robert L. Boyd:

Take notice that on the the 13TH
DAY OF DECEMBER, 1897, at the office of G W. Lewis, 311 N 4th St.,
Richmond, Va., between the hours of
9 a m, and 6 p, m., I shall proceed to
take the depositions of James Jackson
and others to be read in my behalf in
a certain suit in Equity pending in the Law and Equity Court of the city of Richmond, Va, wherein I am plaintiff and you are defendant. If from any cause the taking of the said depositions be not commenced or if comtions be not commenced, or if commenced be not concluded on that day named, the taking of the same will b

LIZZIE G. BOYD,

Legal Notice. VIRGINIA:-IN THE LAW AND

EQUITY COURT OF BICHMOND, OCTOvs usan Harris and Robert Lee Harris,

The object of this suit is to partition in some of the modes prescribed by law. among the parties entitled, the real estate of which George Harris died

seised and possessed.

And affidavit having been made and

A Copy—Teste:
P. P. WINSTON Clerk

Thursday, 21st ult, was Richmond Lodge's meeting night and several members were present Since no word was lined off they adjourned to meet

PORTSMOUTH NEWS.

PORTSMOUTH, VA., November 4, 1897 Last Sunday was a mild and pleas-ant day, and churches well attended

Elliott, who lived on Godwin took place at the above named church. Mr Elliott departed this life Thursdsy the 28th ult He leaves a wife, child-

At Ebenezer Baptist Church, Rev. A

FROM FLUSHING, NEW YORK.

A Minister's Farewell. The Ebenezer Baptist thurch was crowded to the doors last evening, be-NEWFORT NEWS.

Newfort News, VA., November 3, 97
Sunday was an ideal autumn day
The bracing atmosphere and bright sunshine made it a pleasant Sabbath and sulface of the other in such as a such as Stock Exhibits, Poultry Exhibits and Bicycle Races and Exhibits, and will close on Friday. the 5th with a Baby Show. There are many side attractions already in the city and others which reads a follower through the control of the doors last evening, being the occasion of a farewell sermon preached by our beloved pastor. Rev. Noah Abbott, who has resigned the above church to go and labor in a larger field. He took for his text 2nd Cornthians, 13:11, which reads a follower through the control of the control of the corn and the control of the control of the corntal of the

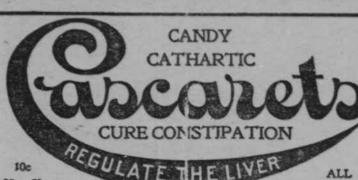
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clothes ready to wear immediately, and money back if you want it.

J. R. SHEPPARD Clothier, Hatt er & Gents' Furnisher,

Oct. 9th.

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the 28th ult He leaves a wife, children and a host of friends to mourn their loss. He was honored by his society of Odd Fellows by quite a number turning out to pay the last their respects to their departed brother, Rev. Armistead officiating.

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William Moore's job printing office. We are glad to quote that the Planer is being read by so many of Wilming ton people. We hope soon to have the Planer in each Negro home in Wilmington. Yours, FROM BERKLEY.

As a whole, the church stended on Lord's Day.

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PYTHIAN NOTES.

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tance claims their attention.

will be entered upon the roll.

Court and Mrs. Anna Miles of Anna

Planet Court will meet Friday even-

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That Has Found a Barrel of Gold.

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VALUABLE PROPERTY LOST BY FIKE.

The union met this time at St. Thomas A. M. E. Zion Church. The union opened with Mr. Moore, Superintendent of St. Thomas Sunday School in the chair, the president Professor S. B. Johnson being absent on account of sickness. Music was rendered by the whole assembly from the Harp of Zion after which a portion of God's word was read from the Psalms by Rev. I. L. Butt, and prayer was offered. On account of the absence of the Recording Secretary, Mrs. E. B. Bell, Mr Bell was appointed Recording Secretary. After having the minutes of the last meeting read and approved, the several superintendents were requested to but a little damage from the overflow of water. Business is on a drag and people generally are house bound, and owing to the depleted condition of many exchaquers the coal-dealstand still. Thus far we have learned eral sup

An excursion bill in summer will down a ceal house every time. Strange, but true as a rule the people who suffer most in the winter are those who do the most frolicking in the summer. But we are not dispaired of hope that they will learn a lesson after a while.

Richmond Ber

Church there was not more than a hundred people present during the entire day. At 8:30, Rev. D. Webster Davis gave a very short, but truly instructive talk, which was greatly enjoyed by those present. Doubtless there would have been a very large congregation but for the very inclement weather. The congregation of the Second Bap-

streng, instructive ser non, and some very eloquent prayers were offered during the day.

At most of the other churches short discourses were made and song and prayer service closed up the day's expresses.

"Boss" Browne. The editor's able answer is freely read by the members are and people generally. It is the topic of discussion in every business place and assembly of people.

Mrs. D. Jackson, who has been in the city for the past two months, visiting Rev. and Mrs. Powell, 1513 Taylor street, has returned to her home in Portsmouth, Va. The madam is always a welcome visitor. We only regret that we could not enjoy more of her pleasant and agreeable company.

Mr. William Davis, one of the public school teachers at Reid's Church, Henrico, who has been a great sufferer with his eyes, is out again and is at his which plans were set to the best means of securing of the company in which plans were set to the best means of securing in the company.

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The wedding bells are ringing and in the near future several fair brides will be led to the altar. They from the queenly miss in her teeens to the old maids and spry widows.

Miss Fannie Ward died Saturday, Ostober 23d, at 1 o'clock in the blessed assurance of peaceful rest in the land where love is Lord and Master. Miss Ward's funeral took place from the

Where lay a child with aching head
Waiting for Jesus' call.
I marked her smile 'twas sweet as May

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All members and visitors from sister

Miss Ward was in her sixteenth year and lived on west Leigh street, near Harrison street. She leaves a mother, one sister and many friends to mourn new members initiated. The Court is Anna Eureka Court met Tuesday one stater and many friends to mourn
the loss of a dear one.
Mr. F. D. Towns of Boston, Mass,
is in the city, visiting his aunt, Mrs. L.
Meade, 1102 west Leigh street. Mr.
Towns arrived in the city last Tuesday in a prosperous condition. The Calanthe Court Club of Church Hill is progressing. There are 54 names on the roll and new ones are being added continually. Two visitors were present at the last meeting in the

A Progressive Printer-Insurance Notes Persenal Items. Mr. William Moore, our job printer is doing a rushing business, Mr. Moore

Street Presbyterian Church preached a grand sermon at St. Lukes Church last Sunday 3 p m. Mr. Bonner is quite an eloquent speaker. The surprise party given Rev. R. Bennett, pastor St. Marks Episcopalian CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.

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Sunday in the Churches.

Mr. R. Jefferson Kyles came ove

day morning.
Miss Victoria L. Parham, who has

He is ably assisted by Mr.

The meeting of Samson and Virginia lodges will be held Mon ay night at 8 o'clock sharp. The members are re-

Bianford chapel last Wednesday after-noon, Rev. E. Watts officiating. J M.

weeks work, has a membership of over West Point office under the faithful charge of Mrs. Alice C. Allen is in

After all preparation had been made, and a supposed amount of Insurance proved to be of no avail; then the husband applied to said H. B. Hucles simply to pay a certain amount of his sala-

A CARD.

feel, after we shall have gone through that we are greater than he, who are now struggling, simply because, we have ascended a little above our strug-gling brother; but we should be care-ful, that we do not upset our own carts, when we attempt to overturn others, simply because we do not know the

driver.

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John Parham, died last Friday at her
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rienrico, who has been a great sufferer with his eyes, is out again and is at his post faithfully discharging his duties.

A slight fall of snow was seen in this section Sunday of last week. Overcoats and wraps were in great demand by the few who left their firesides.

Wedping better the strength of the strength of the strength of the place of the sum of the place was fice has just recently opened, more made of the solo, instead of Mr. C. C. Williams of Richmond, sang a solo, instead of Mr. C. C. Williams of the sum of the choir under the direction of Mr. E. A Shelly. Mr. W. E. Brown, the manager and his agents. Every day or so Mr. W. E. Brown, the manager shell was replications. Some of the best features about the to be praised for the interesting of the place. to be praised for the interest that he is nutting in the good work.

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FROM NEWPORT NEWS.

Little Mabel Paige, 2 years old died at the home of her parents on High street, Monday, and was buried from Mr. Spencer Parker they have over 600 F. Wilson on Ivy Ave.

Mr. Spencer Parker they have over 600 Mrs. Mary Branch is home again Mrs. Mary Branch is home again

Our city seems to have been bles with good preaching this fall. The frem visiting friends in Louisa Co.

Mr. G. W. Branch has been a little evangelist meetings have been held evangelist meetings have been held Mr. O. Branch has been a little indispose for the past week.

Mrs. Pompy Tucker is visiting Mrs. Bland on 24th St. Mrs. Tucker is from Dinwiddle County and we wish her a has been holding services at the Saint has been a holding services at the Saint has been a little correct a little correct and little correct an pleasant stay.

On account of the stormy weather for the past week work on the new brick church has been a little slack;

James A. M. E. Church on 7th Street for about 15 days and this little girl is only 12 years old and says she has been brick church has been a little slack;

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ALBERT STEIN,

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